

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 671

By Kyle

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Latrista Dynell Harris,
2002 Salutatorian of Treadwell High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Miss Latrista Dynell Harris is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Treadwell High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Latrista has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 4.264 Grade Point Average; and

WHEREAS, due to her outstanding commitment to academic excellence, Miss Harris has earned numerous honors and awards from Treadwell High School; and

WHEREAS, a multi-talented individual, Latrista possesses tremendous athletic talent as she has participated on the Track Team and Cheerleading Squad; she has also been a majorette and a member of the Band, Step Team and Drill Team; and

WHEREAS, highly respected as a leader among her peers, Miss Harris is active in numerous scholastic organizations, including the Year Book Staff, Distribution Clubs of America, Teens for Peace, Business Professionals of America and the Southeastern Consortium for Minorities in Engineering; and

WHEREAS, an active member of her community, Latrista participates in numerous community service organizations and programs, including the Treadwell Summer Camp, St. Jude's Pennies for Patients, the Angel Tree program, D.A.R.E. and the Neighborhood Tutoring program; and

WHEREAS, a young lady of impeccable character, Miss Harris has participated in numerous community service projects with her church; and

WHEREAS, Latrista Dynell Harris's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she plans to attend the University of Memphis; and

WHEREAS, Latrista's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Troy and Ruby Harris, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Miss Harris's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 2002 Treadwell High School Salutatorian, Latrista Dynell Harris, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.